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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ISHIBASHI et al.

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For: METHOD FOR SELECTIVELY  
SEPARATING LIVE CELLS  
EXPRESSING A SPECIFIC GENE

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**PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPHS AS DRAWINGS  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b), Applicants hereby petition for the acceptance of color photographs in the subject patent application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)(iii), an Amendment adding the required paragraph to the specification is being submitted simultaneously with this Petition. Applicants submit herewith the required petition fee in the form of a check in the amount of \$130.00, along with the required three sets of photographs. Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees associated with this petition to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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